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Applicant : John M. Amaral et al.      Art Unit : Unknown  
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CONSTANT DELAY NETWORK

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

PETITION FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, applicants hereby petition that the period for response to the action dated April 30, 2001, be extended for one month to and including July 30, 2001.

Enclosed is a check for \$55 for the required fee. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

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